

Autumn 1878

General William Tecumseh Sherman (the march from Atlanta to the Sea) traversed the Arizona Territory (He was also regent of Smithsonian at the time) wrote Col Peter T. Swaine of Fort Wingate, New Mexico & collected Petrified Forest samples for the museum

1878

Dr Samuel Pierpont Langley  
3rd Sec. of Smithsonian Institution  
invented the BOLOMETER

It is a delicate electrical  
thermometer, capable of measuring  
a millionth of a degree, and  
estimating the energy of all solar rays  
in their first proportions.

1878

124,866 = total # of immigrants  
who arrived in New York.

Feb 21, 1878

1878

First telephone directory was  
issued by the District  
Telephone Co. of New Haven,  
Conn.

6 JAN 1878

CARL SANDBURG

BORN

GLOBE - DALLAS

1878

'Instantaneous' photography

1878

Germany

## Germany

Beginning of the political  
Anti-Semitic movement  
in Berlin (A. STOECKER)

1878

Jan 1st

Russia

death of Baron Yozel Guenzburg